

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN  
SOUTHERN DIVISION**

In Re: AUTOMOTIVE PARTS  
ANTITRUST LITIGATION

Master File No. 12-md-02311  
Honorable Marianne O. Battani

In Re: Wire Harness Cases

2:12-cv-00102-MOB-MKM

THIS DOCUMENT RELATES TO:

Automobile Dealership Actions

**PROPOSED / PENDING COURT APPROVAL  
DISTRIBUTION/ALLOCATION PLAN  
WIRE HARNESS SETTLEMENTS**

This distribution / allocation plan (“Allocation Plan”) will be applied to the automobile dealership settlements in the Wire Harness case. The Allocation Plan includes allowances based on *pro rata* distributions and utilizes a “weighted” point system that recognizes instances of alleged collusion and bid-rigging. To the extent practicable, the principles applied here will be applied to settlements benefitting automobile dealerships for other automobile parts cases in this litigation. Each parts case will have its own plan of distribution and/or allocation.

***Settlement Coverage:***

The Allocation Plan will allocate the net proceeds of each of the approved Wire Harness Settlements to:

- (1) Dealers who purchased vehicle models that were subject to alleged coordinated activity on bids for component parts;
- (2) Dealers who purchased subsequent vehicle models that were subject to alleged coordinated activity on bids for component parts;
- (3) Dealers who purchased vehicles whose manufacturers experienced multiple instances of alleged coordinated activity on bids for component parts;

- (4) Dealers who purchased other vehicles;
- (5) Dealers who purchased component parts subject to allegedly coordinated activity; and
- (6) A reserve fund for future allocation and distribution to eligible Settlement Class members.

This Allocation Plan is subject to court approval and may be revised with Court approval if new relevant information becomes available. In addition, there may be supplements and additions to the list of vehicles appended hereto, without Court approval.

Payments will take into account the number and type of new vehicles and covered component parts that a dealership purchased during the periods set forth in the Settlement Class definitions. The initial reserve fund in the Wire Harness settlements will be 20% of the total funds. The percentage of reserve funds in each of the future settlements may vary. In the event and to the extent that the reserve fund is not needed to cover payments described above, any funds remaining in the reserve fund after future allocations will be paid to eligible dealerships based on their *pro rata* share of the settlement funds and the eligible claims filed.

Only new vehicles purchased are eligible for inclusion. Used and pre-owned vehicles that a dealer has purchased at any time will not be included in the allocation.

***Weighted Point Allocations:***

Allocations will be determined on a *pro rata* basis using a “weighted” value for each new covered vehicle that dealers purchased during the relevant time periods:

- Each vehicle in a model year in which there was alleged coordinated activity for a part used in that model will be assigned **100 points**;
- Each vehicle in the subsequent three model years of a vehicle in which there was alleged coordinated activity for a part used in that model will be assigned **75 points**;
- Each vehicle whose OEM and model was subject to instances of alleged coordinated activity on bids for parts will be assigned **50 points**.
- Each vehicle whose OEM was targeted by instances of alleged coordinated activity on bids for parts will be assigned **35 points**;
- Other vehicles not covered by the preceding paragraphs will be assigned **20 points**;
- Wire Harness Systems (parts only) purchased will be assigned **10 points**;

- ***Alternatively***, class members may choose to have the Settlement Administrator apply a formula through which the number of replacement Wire Harness Systems (parts only) will equal to 10% of the total number of covered vehicles that the dealer purchased, and each of those will be allocated ***7 points***, in lieu of determining and proving the actual number of Wire Harness Systems purchased. (This percentage will be adjusted and disclosed with each proposed settlement.)

*Important Note:* Each claimant that submits a valid claim and purchased the vehicles in the states listed in the settlement documents will receive a ***minimum payment of \$350***, which will be drawn from the various settlement funds. The maximum payment will depend on the application of the principles of allocation and the total amount of each settlement fund, after expenses.

More details about the anticipated distribution of the settlement funds are available in the papers filed with the Court in support of settlement approval, which are available on the settlement website, [www.AutoDealerSettlement.com](http://www.AutoDealerSettlement.com). In order to receive a payment, you need to file a valid claim. The settlement web site and claim form provide additional details about how to submit your claim. Further information is available at [www.AutoDealerSettlement.com](http://www.AutoDealerSettlement.com) or by calling the Settlement Administrator at [1-888-565-3171](tel:1-888-565-3171).

*A Vehicle Allocation chart follows below. The allocation information provided was not compiled or approved by Settling Defendants and is not to be construed as evidence or an admission against any Settling Defendants that they participated in coordinated activities with respect to the listed vehicles and manufacturers.*

The following models will be assigned 100 points for each vehicle purchased from the model year listed:

| Car Make | Car Model | Model Year |
|----------|-----------|------------|
| Acura    | CL        | 2004       |
| Acura    | MDX       | 2007       |
| Acura    | RDX       | 2006       |
| Acura    | RDX       | 2007       |
| Acura    | RDX       | 2012       |
| Acura    | RDX       | 2013       |
| Acura    | RL        | 2005       |
| Acura    | RL        | 2011       |
| Acura    | TL        | 2004       |
| Acura    | TL        | 2009       |
| Acura    | TL        | 2010       |
| Acura    | ZDX       | 2010       |

| Car Make | Car Model | Model Year |
|----------|-----------|------------|
| Honda    | Accord    | 2002       |
| Honda    | Accord    | 2003       |
| Honda    | Accord    | 2008       |
| Honda    | Accord    | 2013       |
| Honda    | Crosstour | 2010       |
| Honda    | Civic     | 2001       |
| Honda    | Civic     | 2006       |
| Honda    | Civic     | 2011       |
| Honda    | CRV       | 2007       |
| Honda    | CRV       | 2012       |
| Honda    | CRZ       | 2010       |
| Honda    | Element   | 2003       |

| Car Make | Car Model | Model Year |
|----------|-----------|------------|
| Honda    | Fit       | 2006       |
| Honda    | Fit       | 2007       |
| Honda    | Fit       | 2008       |
| Honda    | Insight   | 2009       |
| Honda    | Odyssey   | 2005       |
| Honda    | Odyssey   | 2011       |
| Honda    | Pilot     | 2003       |
| Honda    | Pilot     | 2005       |
| Honda    | Pilot     | 2008       |
| Honda    | Pilot     | 2009       |
| Honda    | Ridgeline | 2005       |
| Honda    | Ridgeline | 2006       |
| Infiniti | EX        | 2008       |
| Infiniti | FX        | 2003       |
| Infiniti | FX        | 2008       |
| Infiniti | G         | 2006       |
| Infiniti | G         | 2007       |
| Infiniti | M         | 2009       |
| Infiniti | M         | 2010       |
| Lexus    | GS        | 2011       |
| Lexus    | GS        | 2012       |
| Lexus    | RX        | 2003       |
| Lexus    | RX        | 2008       |
| Nissan   | Altima    | 2006       |
| Nissan   | Altima    | 2009       |
| Nissan   | Altima    | 2013       |
| Nissan   | Altima    | 2014       |
| Nissan   | Cube      | 2008       |
| Nissan   | Juke      | 2008       |
| Nissan   | Juke      | 2010       |
| Nissan   | Maxima    | 2005       |
| Nissan   | Maxima    | 2008       |
| Nissan   | Maxima    | 2009       |
| Nissan   | Maxima    | 2013       |
| Nissan   | Maxima    | 2014       |
| Nissan   | Murano    | 2007       |
| Nissan   | Quest     | 2006       |
| Nissan   | Quest     | 2009       |
| Nissan   | Sentra    | 2006       |

| Car Make | Car Model | Model Year |
|----------|-----------|------------|
| Nissan   | Versa     | 2002       |
| Nissan   | Versa     | 2011       |
| Pontiac  | Vibe      | 2006       |
| Pontiac  | Vibe      | 2007       |
| Scion    | FR-S      | 2012       |
| Subaru   | BRZ       | 2012       |
| Subaru   | BRZ       | 2013       |
| Subaru   | Forester  | 2003       |
| Subaru   | Forester  | 2004       |
| Subaru   | Forester  | 2005       |
| Subaru   | Forester  | 2006       |
| Subaru   | Forester  | 2007       |
| Subaru   | Forester  | 2008       |
| Subaru   | Forester  | 2010       |
| Subaru   | Forester  | 2011       |
| Subaru   | Forester  | 2012       |
| Subaru   | Impreza   | 2004       |
| Subaru   | Impreza   | 2005       |
| Subaru   | Impreza   | 2006       |
| Subaru   | Impreza   | 2007       |
| Subaru   | Impreza   | 2008       |
| Subaru   | Impreza   | 2009       |
| Subaru   | Impreza   | 2010       |
| Subaru   | Impreza   | 2011       |
| Subaru   | Impreza   | 2012       |
| Subaru   | Legacy    | 2003       |
| Subaru   | Legacy    | 2004       |
| Subaru   | Legacy    | 2005       |
| Subaru   | Legacy    | 2006       |
| Subaru   | Legacy    | 2007       |
| Subaru   | Legacy    | 2008       |
| Subaru   | Legacy    | 2009       |
| Subaru   | Legacy    | 2010       |
| Subaru   | Legacy    | 2011       |
| Subaru   | Legacy    | 2012       |
| Subaru   | Legacy    | 2014       |
| Subaru   | Legacy    | 2015       |
| Subaru   | Outback   | 2003       |
| Subaru   | Outback   | 2009       |

| Car Make | Car Model    | Model Year |
|----------|--------------|------------|
| Subaru   | Tribeca      | 2005       |
| Subaru   | Tribeca      | 2006       |
| Subaru   | Tribeca      | 2007       |
| Subaru   | Tribeca      | 2008       |
| Subaru   | Tribeca      | 2012       |
| Suzuki   | Kizashi      | 2010       |
| Suzuki   | Sidekick     | 1998       |
| Suzuki   | Sidekick     | 2005       |
| Toyota   | Avalon       | 2005       |
| Toyota   | Avalon       | 2012       |
| Toyota   | Avalon       | 2013       |
| Toyota   | Camry        | 2003       |
| Toyota   | Camry        | 2005       |
| Toyota   | Camry        | 2006       |
| Toyota   | Camry        | 2007       |
| Toyota   | Camry        | 2009       |
| Toyota   | Camry        | 2011       |
| Toyota   | Camry Hybrid | 2011       |
| Toyota   | Celica       | 2003       |
| Toyota   | Corolla      | 2005       |
| Toyota   | Corolla      | 2006       |
| Toyota   | Corolla      | 2007       |
| Toyota   | Corolla      | 2013       |
| Toyota   | Highlander   | 2009       |
| Toyota   | Highlander   | 2010       |
| Toyota   | Matrix       | 2006       |
| Toyota   | Matrix       | 2007       |
| Toyota   | Previa       | 2007       |
| Toyota   | Prius        | 2009       |

| Car Make | Car Model              | Model Year |
|----------|------------------------|------------|
| Toyota   | RAV4                   | 2007       |
| Toyota   | RAV4                   | 2013       |
| Toyota   | RX                     | 2010       |
| Toyota   | Sequoia                | 2006       |
| Toyota   | Sequoia                | 2007       |
| Toyota   | Sequoia                | 2008       |
| Toyota   | Sienna                 | 2003       |
| Toyota   | Sienna                 | 2004       |
| Toyota   | Sienna                 | 2009       |
| Toyota   | Sienna                 | 2010       |
| Toyota   | Sienna                 | 2011       |
| Toyota   | Solara                 | 2003       |
| Toyota   | Solara                 | 2004       |
| Toyota   | Tacoma                 | 2005       |
| Toyota   | Tacoma                 | 2007       |
| Toyota   | Tacoma                 | 2012       |
| Toyota   | Tundra                 | 2003       |
| Toyota   | Tundra                 | 2004       |
| Toyota   | Tundra                 | 2006       |
| Toyota   | Tundra                 | 2007       |
| Toyota   | Tundra                 | 2008       |
| Toyota   | Venza                  | 2008       |
| Toyota   | Venza                  | 2009       |
| Toyota   | Venza                  | 2010       |
| Toyota   | Yaris                  | 2005       |
| Toyota   | Yaris                  | 2010       |
| Toyota   | Yaris                  | 2011       |
| Toyota   | Yaris Hatchback Hybrid | 2009       |

Vehicle models identified in the list above, that are purchased within three model years after the listed year of a particular model, will be assigned 75 points. For example, a 2007 Acura MDX will receive 100 points and an Acura MDX in model year 2008, 2009, or 2010 will receive 75 points.

Vehicle models identified in the list below purchased from January 1, 1999 to January 5, 2017 will receive 50 points. Class Counsel are working to determine a more precise definition for the models and the model years listed below. If additional information is obtained, this list

may be revised. In addition, with regard to Isuzu Elf Medium Duty Trucks, to the extent any such vehicle was purchased for sale by an automobile dealership, and not a separate truck franchisee associated with an automobile dealership, such trucks purchased between January 1, 1999 and January 31, 2009, will also be assigned 50 points.

| Car Make | Car Model | Model Year |
|----------|-----------|------------|
| Infiniti | EX        |            |
| Nissan   | Versa     |            |
| Subaru   |           | 2005       |
| Subaru   |           | 2006       |
| Subaru   |           | 2007       |
| Subaru   |           | 2008       |
| Subaru   |           | 2009       |
| Subaru   |           | 2010       |
| Subaru   |           | 2015       |

| Car Make | Car Model | Model Year |
|----------|-----------|------------|
| Subaru   |           | 2016       |
| Toyota   | Corolla   |            |
| Toyota   | RAV-4     |            |
| Toyota   | Sequoia   |            |
| Toyota   | Tacoma    |            |
| Toyota   | Tundra    |            |
| Toyota   |           | 2003       |
| Toyota   |           | 2010       |

Any other models from any of the manufacturers listed in the above two tables, purchased from January 1, 1999 to January 5, 2017 will be assigned 35 points. All other vehicles will be assigned 20 points.